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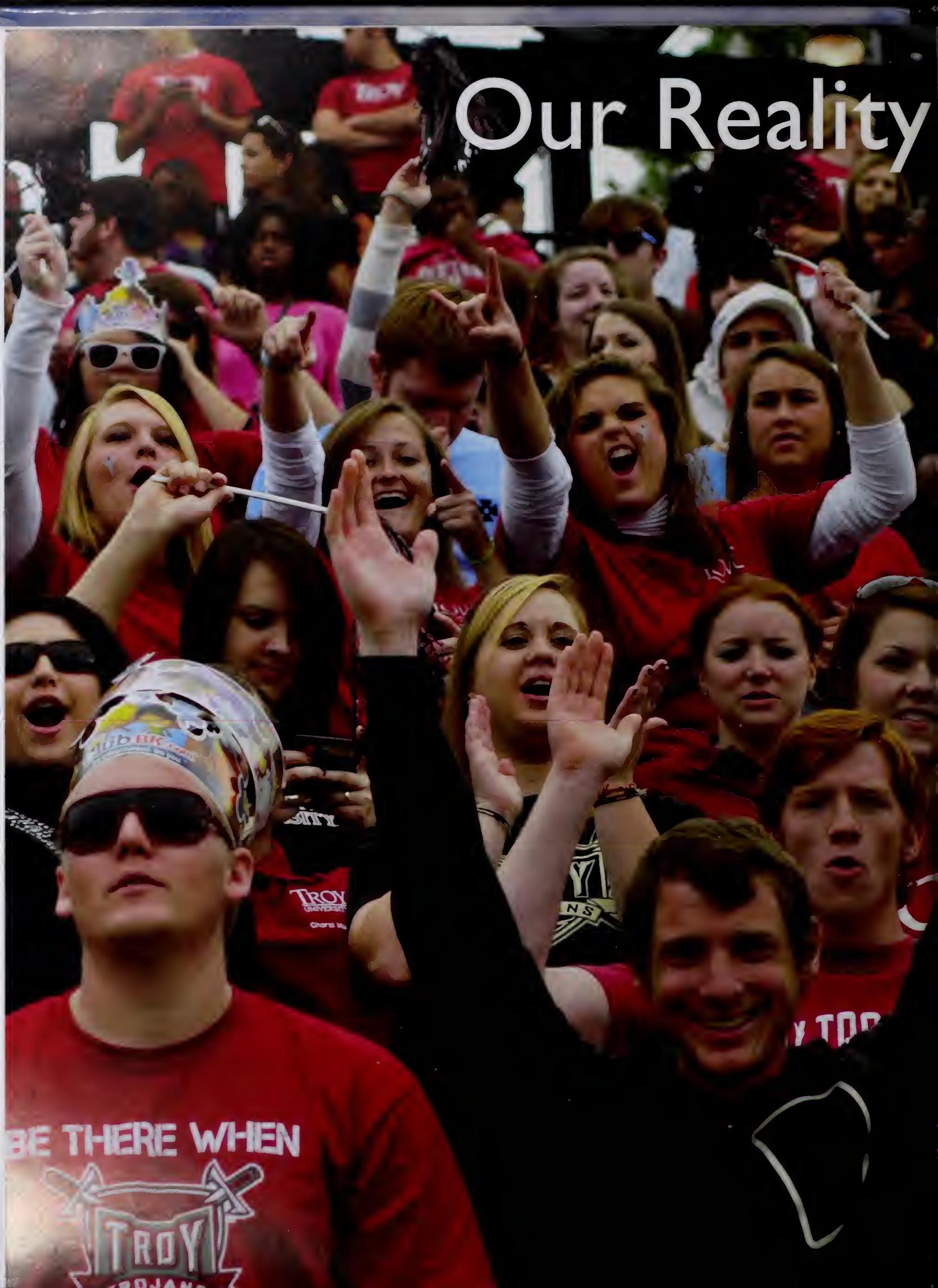
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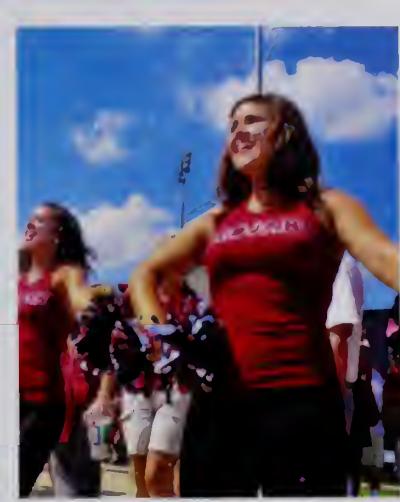
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A large, dense crowd of students, primarily wearing red, is cheering at a night game. In the foreground, a man in a red shirt with 'TROY' and 'BE THERE WHEN' is looking up. A woman in the center-right is clapping her hands. The background is filled with more students, some with painted faces and various accessories like hats and sunglasses.

Our Reality

BE THERE WHEN





Troy University welcomed new students to campus on Sunday, August 8, 2011. The Odyssey Convocation is the official welcoming and start of the Troy University experience for TROY students.

"The Odyssey Convocation provides new students with an excellent introduction to Troy University," said Buddy Starling, TROY's dean of enrollment management. "We are excited to have Mark Prater as our keynote speaker this year. Mark will speak about the impact his TROY experience has had on his life."



Students and faculty members holding lit Odyssey torches.

Students receive their Odyssey shirts.



Prater, who has more than 21 years experience in television and radio, currently serves as chief meteorologist for WIAT-CBS 42 in Birmingham. A full member of the National Weather Association and the American Meteorological Society, Prater has been honored with the National Edward R. Murrow Award and an Emmy Award for his on-air work as a broadcast meteorologist. He also was named Alabama's Best Weathercaster by the Associated Press in 1999.

In 2005, Prater published the book, "Silent Storm: Finding Spiritual Shelter during Hepatitis C," chronicling his spiritual journey during his battle with and recovery from the disease. Ultimately resulting in a deepening of his faith, Prater shared his story to offer inspiration to others dealing with long-term illnesses. He is free of the disease today.

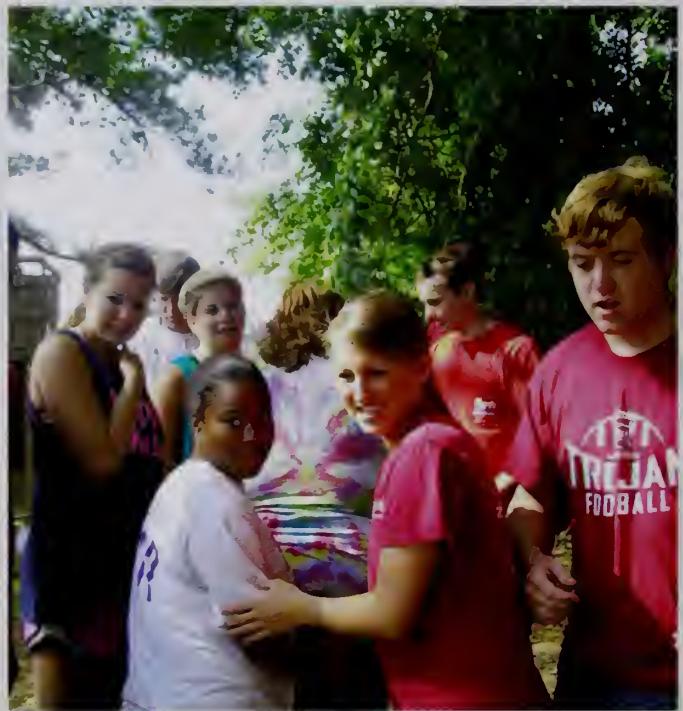
Prater and his wife, the former Carol Willis of Prattville, have four children.



Students and faculty prepare to light the Odyssey torch.

Odyssey Convocation



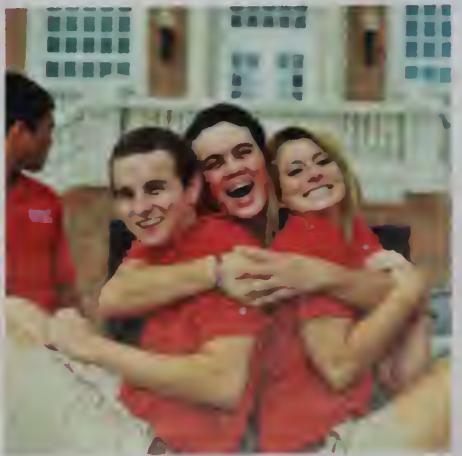


IMPACT

Beginning college is a very exciting time for all students, but it is also a time filled with nerves and anticipation of what college will be like. IMPACT is a program designed to show future Trojans what college is really all about.

IMPACT is a two-day program that provides all the essentials for success at Troy University. Day one consists of checking into Trojan Village, being assigned to a group, attending various informational presentations and browse sessions, and a fun-filled night of friendly competition between groups. Students will learn about TROY's history and traditions, in addition to getting a glimpse of what college life is like at Troy University.

Day two of IMPACT is strictly business. Students, with the help of IMPACT Leaders, register for their first semester at TROY. Students are also given the dreaded account balance that is gladly handed to parents. While at IMPACT, students will make friendships that will last them their entire college career. Students and parents alike leave IMPACT with a great feeling about what life at Troy University will bring.





Trojan Dining

Troy students eagerly awaited the completion of the new Trojan Dining Center for the 2011-012 school year. The new facility offers a variety of meal choices, including Moe's Southwestern Grill, Boar's Head Deli, and the new cafeteria. In the new cafeteria, students are able to choose from Magellan's stir fry, the Flying Star's burgers and grill, the Wild Mushroom salad bar, and the bakery with a swipe of their student ID cards. Trojan Dining caters to more students than the older cafeteria and is able to sit and serve more than double the students.

The building also includes several innovations not likely found in other campus eating venues. Marble countertops on four serpentine eating counters frame a two-story, open-area dining room surrounded by flags of nations represented in the student body. Flags of the Armed Services are also prominent features, as is a POW flag. Murals of campus life provide added depth to the building.





Troy University 2011 Homecoming Queen and Court

Emily Evans, a senior biomedical science major from Flora, was crowned Homecoming Queen at Troy University during halftime of the Trojans' game against North Texas. Evans, the daughter of Joey and Suane Evans of Flora, was crowned by Troy University Chancellor Jack Hawkins Jr. and 2010 Homecoming Queen Elizabeth Dowe of Montgomery.

Evans was a member of the TROY cheerleading squad and a member of the Student-Athlete Advisory Committee from 2008-2010. She is vice president for scholarship of the Alpha Gamma Delta sorority, treasurer of Alpha Epsilon Delta honor society and a member of Tri Beta, Omicron Delta Kappa and Order of Omega honor societies.





Emily Evans, Troy University's 2001 Homecoming Queen, is crowned by Liz Dowe, last year's queen.





Our Trojan Pride

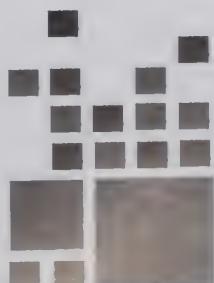


During the haze and excitement of football season, roaring chants such as "T-R-whoop whoop-O-J-whoop whoop-A-NS-whoo" can be heard pouring out of Troy University's Sartain Hall prior to home games due to the Trojan tradition of pep rallies, whose purpose is to simply rally support for the Trojan football team. With themes like "Rope the Raiders" and "For the Love of Troy" along with plenty of glitter, Troy students certainly take these events seriously with crazy costumes, hand-made signs, and a ton of screaming. TROY's cheerleaders, band members, The TROY Dance Repertory Ensemble and the color guard perform an array of skits, games and routines for onlooking students to get excited about as they all prepare for the upcoming home game of the week. These events not only rally support, but they also give organizations a chance to gain bragging rights as the most spirited on campus through winning games and obtaining the glorious spirit stick. During Head Coach Larry Blakeney's inspirational speeches, students are informed of game

expectations as well as a few key players. This gives students a sense of hope and excitement for the upcoming game and ensures their supporting presence at Veterans Memorial Stadium on game day.



ove, Connor Profit roars for the team with his friends.





2012 Miss Troy KeLiegh Edwards is crowned by Syndii Todd and Janice Hawkins.



Former Miss Troy Syndii Todd, Janice Hawkins, and the contestants pose for a picture at the Miss Troy breakfast.

The 41st annual Miss Troy University pageant was held on Sunday, September 18, 2011. Twelve women competed for the title of Miss TROY. Contestants in the Miss America preliminary event are judged on private interview, an on-stage question, swimsuit, talent and evening gown.

KeLiegh Edwards, a sophomore elementary education major from Smiths Station, was crowned Miss Troy University 2012. Her talent was a vocal selection of "Bridge Over Troubled Water." Her platform is "Volunteerism: Giving the Gift of Time." Edwards will serve as an ambassador for the university and will compete for the title of Miss Alabama.

First runner-up was Amanda Ford, a sophomore broadcast journalism major from Helena; second runner-up, Allison Reynolds, a junior human resources management major from Auburn; third runner-up, Caitlin Crowe, a sophomore broadcast journalism major from Tuscaloosa; and fourth runner-up, Madison Wilson, a sophomore bio-medical sciences major from Hoover.

Below: Janice Hawkins talks to the contestants at the Miss Troy breakfast.



Right: current Miss Troy, former Miss Troy and the runners-up pose for a picture.

Miss Troy University





Right: Students run to meet their new sorority sisters.

Sorority Bid Day

After months of preparation and four endless days of exhausting conversations, smiles and skits, sororities and potential new members are always overjoyed for the arrival of Bid Day. As excitement flares for those who are rushing, relaxation sets in for the sorority women. They have spent countless hours preparing for formal recruitment, which consisted of an estimated 500 sorority sisters hosting conversation parties for approximately 250 potential new members. This year, Panhellenic kicked off recruitment with a "how to" kit for women participating in rush where they informed them of what to expect. This was followed by Philanthropy Day. Women visited Alpha Delta Pi, Phi Mu, Alpha Gamma Delta, Chi Omega and Kappa

Delta to learn about each sorority's charities and do small crafts as they began to get acquainted with the sorority women. "Rushies" returned to the houses the next morning for Skit Day, where the sororities performed musical skits that displayed what sororities mean to them personally. Women returned to their choice houses for Preference Day to help them select sororities. All this was wrapped up in white envelopes that were distributed and opened, informing them of what sorority they will be pledging, followed by an exciting

run to the said house, tons of pictures with sorority women, and various social events set up to acquaint new members with initiated sisters.





Campus Art

Troy University students express themselves in different ways and are able to showcase their talents by various means on campus. Whether it is singing in a chorale, acting in the theater, or designing T-shirts, there are several outlets that students are able to pursue to show their artistic sides.

Troy University's Department of Art and Design has been helping students through programs of study designed for a new breed of artists and designers. The Malone Gallery of Fine Art exhibits student art and work, along with hosting lectures with local artists and alumni.



Trojan Walk

The football coach, Larry Blakeney, walks in the middle of the band.

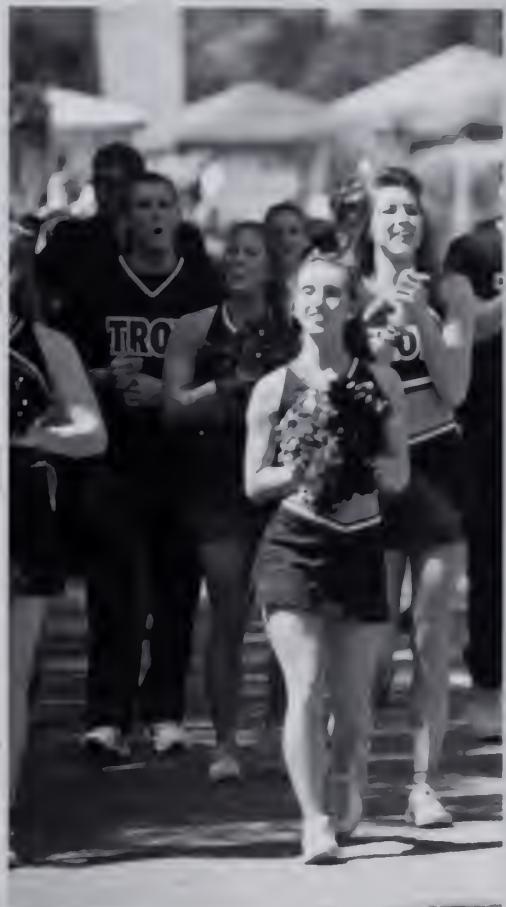
Cheerleaders follow the football players' procession.



Larry Blakeney waves to the crowd.



Several hours before each home game, Troy students, faculty and supporters line the streets of Troy University's University Avenue awaiting the arrival of the famous Trojan tradition, the Trojan Walk. Fans get excited as they hear the beginning notes of The Sound of the South warming up and the Troy cheerleaders begin chants as they prepare for the event. Local organizations, including Greeks and the Student Government Association, are often involved in leading our Trojan football team toward Veterans Memorial Stadium in hopes of a victorious game. This year, the tradition was slightly altered as student leaders voted to change the walk from being led by the football team to being led by the band and cheerleaders, allowing the football players to join in later in the walk and therefore experience more of their supporting organizations. Participants in the walk thoroughly enjoyed the tradition, even with the changes.



Left: Students make noise at a game
Above: Cheerleaders walk down University Avenue





125th Year Celebration

On Feb. 24, 2012, Troy University reached a historic milestone—125 years of excellence in teaching and service to students in Alabama, across the U.S. and around the world. Founded in 1887 with a mission of providing training to future teachers, TROY has grown into a global institution that provides higher education to nearly 30,000 students at four campuses in Alabama and numerous worldwide teaching sites. Yet, although TROY's reach has grown, its mission remains the same as that expressed in the school's founding charter: "educate the mind to think, the heart to feel and the body to act."



Troy students celebrate at the 125th birthday of the university.



Chance or Jack Hawkins enjoys a piece of cake at the celebration.

Apollo Night

Some traditions fade, while others stick around with no end in sight. Troy University's National Association of Black Journalists plays host to a talent competition every year called Apollo Night. Troy University's Apollo Night is derived from the famous television show "Amateur Night" at the Apollo Theater in New York, where the audience is the judge. The event is held in February in honor of Black History Month with all proceeds going toward the Christian Love Center.

Students were able to showcase their talents in a friendly environment for a good cause while enjoying a night of entertainment, laughs and fun. The show stayed in the school spirit with the theme centering around Troy University. Students are able to have a good time while still showing their school pride.







International Campus Life

Studying at Troy University offers international students a unique opportunity to get an international education. The University offers more than 80 programs, including degrees and certificates at associate, bachelor's and master's degree levels.

Many international students spend their time making new friends and getting a chance to study subjects that might not be available in their home countries.

They also have a chance to learn English on a more personal level. In countless ways, Troy University brings value from the four corners of the world home to Alabama.





Spring Break

Spring break is a time for students to relax and forget about their stressful exams. Many students find themselves on road trips around the States and to other countries. However, some students simply head home for spring break and enjoy a week off from classes.





Intramural Sports

With a number of different sports, ranging from flag football and ultimate frisbee in the fall to basketball and softball in the spring, the Troy Intramural Sports Department has a lot to offer. Intramural games take place at a number of different recreational facilities around Troy's campus and are open to all Troy University students, faculty and staff. Besides serving as a recreational outlet for Troy students, the intramural sports staff, made up of University personnel and student workers, is also striving to help develop sportsmanlike attitudes in every player. According to the Intramural Sports Department Handbook, "An individual must be able to accept defeat wholesomely without blaming others. Our program is for individuals who play by the rules." So whether students are looking to become more involved with campus life or looking for a way to stay active throughout the year, the Troy intramurals have something for everyone.



Construction

In order to keep up with a growing population, Troy University's campus is ever evolving and expanding. This year alone, students have seen the completion of the new Trojan Dining facility, the opening of the newly renovated Bibb Graves Hall, the continued construction of the new Trojan Arena and Janice Hawkins Park and Amphitheater, and the renovation of the back quad located behind Bibb Graves Hall and Wallace Hall. With all the new construction and changes being made, a walk around campus is sure to be a new experience for students and faculty each and every day.



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Below: Construction on the back quad.



Below: Newly
renovated Bibb
Graves Hall.



Left: Construction on the Trojan
Arena.





Kimberlei McCain and Judson Garner are all thumbs up at a Christmas party.

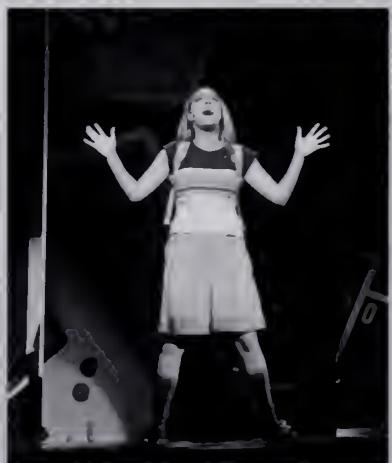
Troy Nightlife



What do students do in the small college town of Troy as the sun sets? As long weeks of exams and classes draw to an end, you can often find Troy University students “winding down” in a vast array of venues. No matter what students enjoy doing in their spare time, Troy provides something for everyone who is looking to have fun both on and off campus. If students are interested in large gatherings, loud music, and plenty of dancing, the Greek system is known for hosting such social events. Mixers, swaps, band parties and socials light up Fraternity Row, allowing hours of on-campus fun throughout the year. Local bars and student-hosted parties off campus often provide the same level of fun for those who want a break from campus life. For students who enjoy more laid-back

settings with close friends and a dash of excitement, rodeo competitions prove to be the perfect place to relax and forget about the stress of college. Weekends, however, are not the only times for students to experience Troy’s nightlife. The University Activities Council plays a prominent position in weekly events that allow students to have wholesome fun on weeknights. From dollar movie nights to on-campus ice skating and many creative events in between, UAC gives Troy students the opportunity to relax without spending a lot of money or traveling very far. So, whether you’re looking for fun and excitement or just a chill night, Troy nightlife has something for all who want to relax and have a good time when the sun sets and the stars arrive.





Band Geeks



After three successful nights on the Claudia Crosby Theater stage, "Band Geeks!," a new musical story of an underdog high school band overcoming adversity and learning a few life lessons along the way, has come and gone, and it left the campus population with a variety of polarized opinions and feelings concerning the show, from the jubilant and praising to the less than impressed.

The most lauded aspects of the musical are the performances by the ensemble cast, the massive and complicated set and the actual music.

Nearly all the technical aspects of the show were well-crafted and well-used, including the set pieces, costumes and lighting.

From the posters and pictures in Jake's room to the pin-up models covering the locker doors in the band room, the sets and costumes both worked very well to construct a somewhat reminiscent mirror for '90s music, fashion and attitude.

The design of the set pieces was largely skewed and somewhat off kilter to add a more fantastical feel to the events taking place.

The lighting was very effective to convey different kinds of mood and changes in scenery, such as when the set for the football field actually lit up from "stadium lights" or during more dramatic sequences such as the numbers "If I Had a Stage" and "Big Shot."

The different dynamics among the three main band member characters, Elliot (Jessie Kisor), Laura (Kara McDowell) and Jake (Jacobi Hall), were well thought out and portrayed with startling humor, particularly between Laura and Jake, thanks to McDowell's excellent comedic timing.

The entire cast did an exceptional job portraying characters who would normally be considered one-note or "stage dressing," making the performance all the more engrossing and interesting.

--Reviewed by Josh Williams





TDRE

The Troy Dance Repertory Ensemble (TDRE) is a group of elite dancers who have helped Troy University kick off its dance minor in the Department of Theatre and Dance.

The performances of the Troy Dance Repertory Ensemble include a variety of dance genres, focusing mainly on lyrical contemporary. Whereas most university dance program performances emphasize the core offerings of ballet and modern, Troy dance offers new variations on this tried and true combination. While TDRE members train extensively in Ballet and Contemporary, they perform equally most dance genres and are a versatile group.

TDRE travels as often as funding allows, performing when invited. Troy is one of the first universities to participate at major dance conventions like the Pulse and NUVO. The TDRE program keeps dancers in front of the best names in the dance industry.





Top: A Continental Cinemas employee and Troy University student manning the concessions desk.

Bottom right: Connor McCreery and Zach Foster strike a silly pose for the camera.



Dollar Movie Night



The first and third Wednesday nights of every month are very special to Troy University students. If you hang around campus for a short time, you're bound to hear what all the fuss is about.

On these special nights, The University Activities Council presents Dollar Movie Night at the Continental Cinemas Theater located on Highway 231.

Students who attend Dollar Movie Night have the opportunity to watch their choice of the many newly released movies at the special price of just \$1.

The Trojan Trolley also helps to make the night possible by making several trips from the campus to the theater and back to accommodate those who don't have transportation.

"I enjoy Dollar Movie Night," said Madeline Hamilton, a sophomore athletic training major from Decatur. "It lets people who don't really have the money to spend or who are conserving money get a night out for cheap."





Etiquette Dinner

Troy University's Communication Club annually holds its Etiquette Dinner for the student body to teach proper table manners at dinner parties. Students who attended the dinner were given tips on how to act during a dinner for a job interview or while having dinner with an employer. Though the meals were more then what an average college student would want to pay for, everyone was able to experience a five-course meal and have an opportunity to learn proper manners while being in a friendly environment.



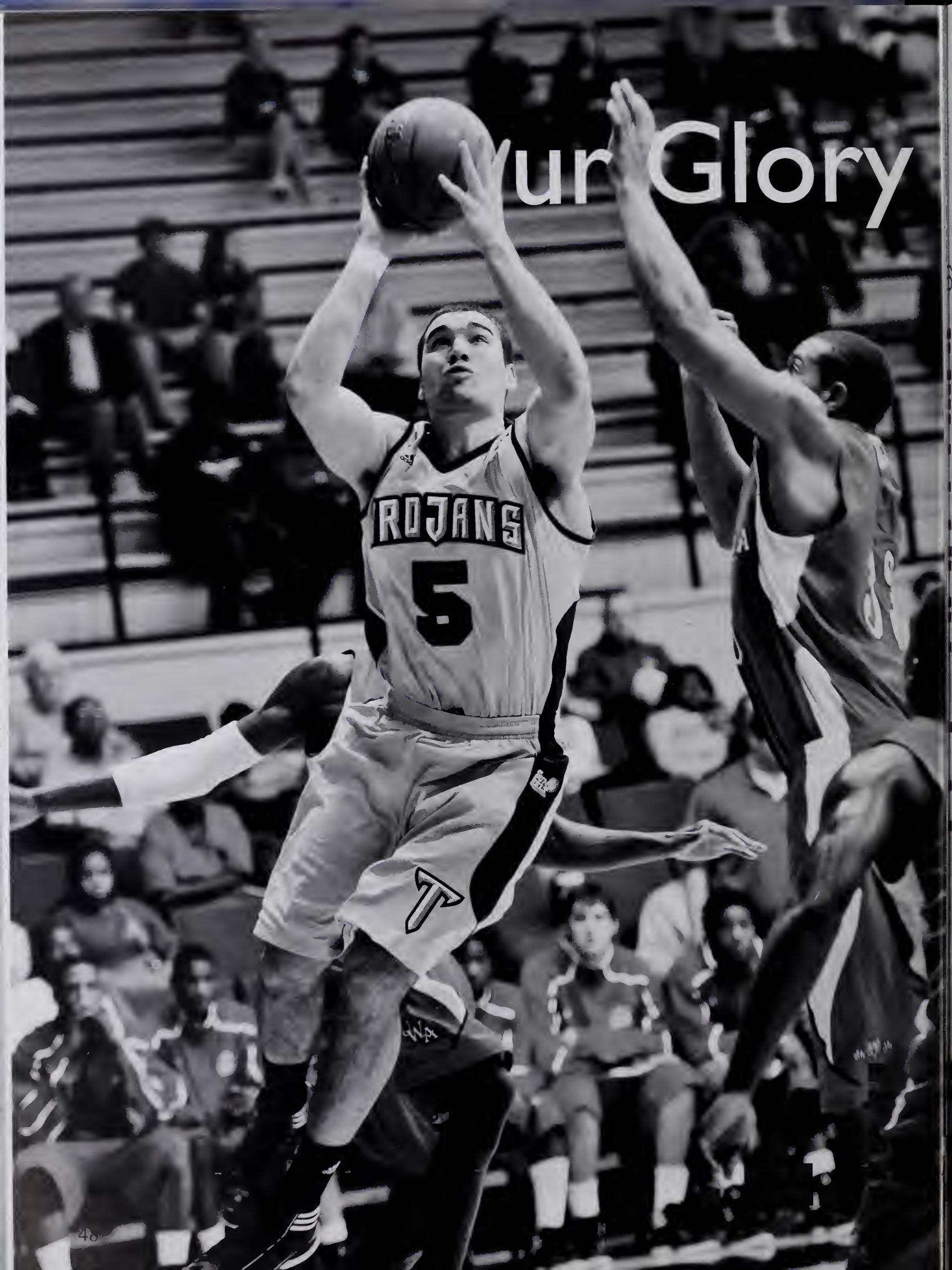
Spring Preview Day

About 850 students and their parents attended Troy University's Spring Preview Day on March 26, 2012. The event included an informational browse session with the University's various academic departments and student organizations on the Bibb Graves quadrangle, an admissions presentation, an enrollment overview and tours of the campus. Preview Day provides an opportunity for high school seniors and their families to learn more about the university, its academic offerings and extracurricular activities available.





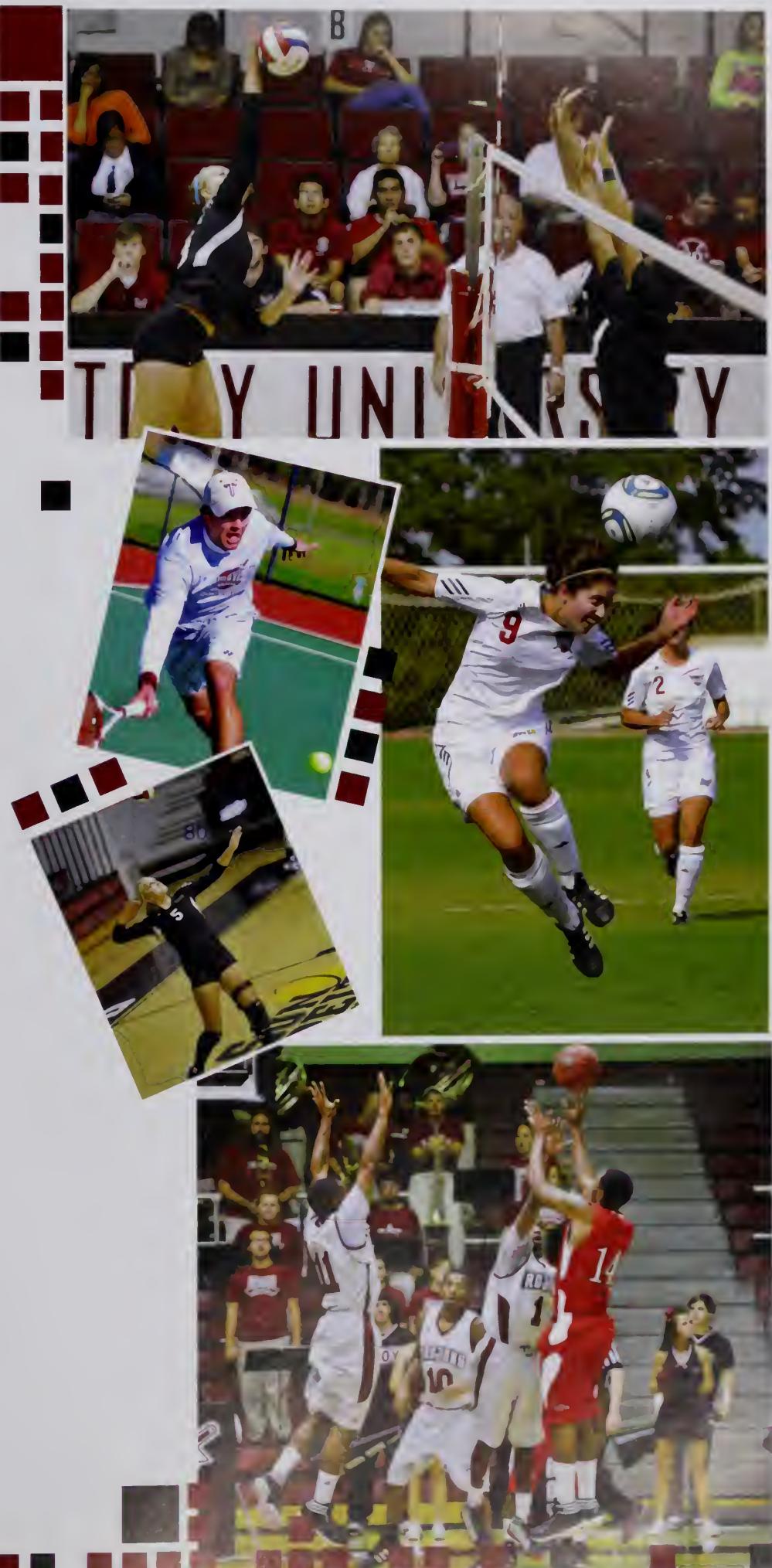
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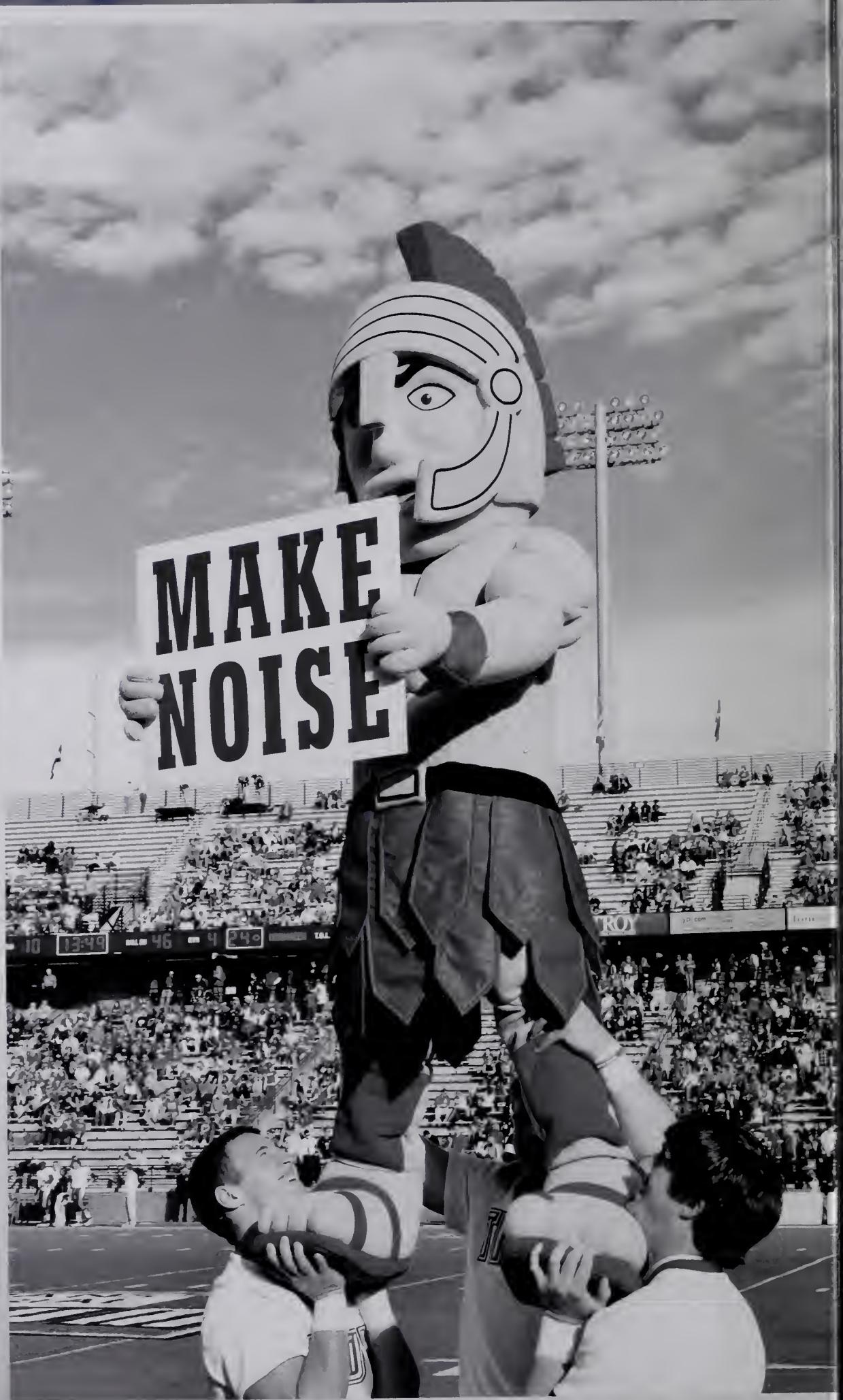


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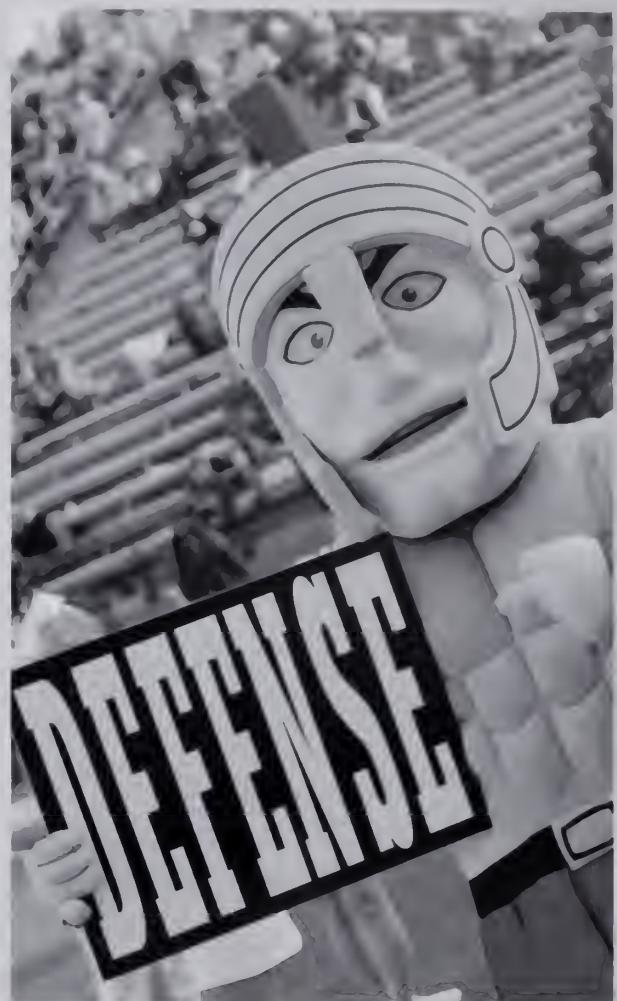


Our T-Roy!

At the beginning of every football game, basketball game and pep rally, you will see one of Troy's most iconic symbols. T-Roy is an important part of Troy's school spirit. T-Roy involves the fans in the action and helps to motivate team members on and off the field.

This past year, T-Roy went to compete in a national mascot competition in Daytona Beach, Fla. In this competition, 15 nationally ranked mascots competed. Alongside our T-Roy were Western Kentucky's Big Red, North Carolina State's Mr. Wuf and Hawaii Pacific's Sharky. Each mascot had to perform a skit that was judged on crowd involvement, dance, props and creativity. T-Roy won second place in this competition with an 8.972, just behind Sammy the Bearkat of Sam Houston State, who won with a 9.000.

So who gets to be this iconic symbol for Troy University? Well, to become T-Roy you must have a large amount of school spirit. For the 2011-2012 year, the title T-Roy was given to two students at Troy: Charlie McAlpine and Tripp Wilson. But no matter who it is, T-Roy will always be a part of Troy University and its students. No matter where or what the event is, you can be sure of one thing: T-Roy will be there to pump you up!



Sound of the South



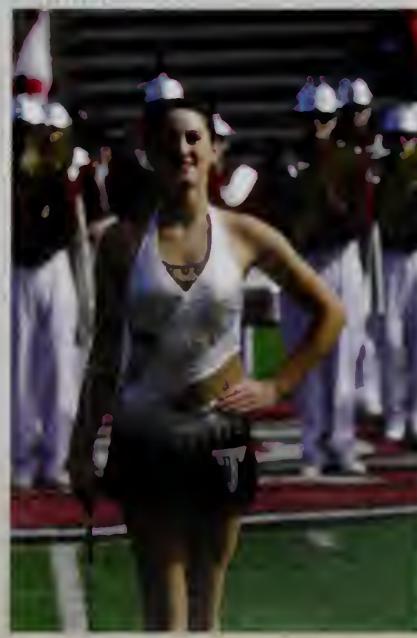
Drum Major Will Parker looks over the band.

"The Sound of the South is a great way to get introduced to college life. It's good for those of us who already are familiar with band from high school. I loved it because it's like a big family."

Megan Shaughnessy,
freshman from
Bay Minette

A Trojan football game would not be complete without the renowned Sound of the South Marching Band. The legendary Dr. John M. Long founded the band in 1965. Since then, it has become a nationally recognized show band. The band has performed at hundreds of football games and exhibition performances. Additionally, the band has been featured since 1997 on the Warner Brothers marching band promotional CDs, which are distributed throughout the United States and Canada. This year, the band was under the direction of Drum Major Will Parker and Directors Mark Walker and Adam Blackstock.





Troy Football

This fall the Troy Trojans faced off against the Clemson Tigers for their first football game of the season. During that game, the Trojans set the tone for resilience that followed them all the way through conference. Even though Troy ended the year with a 3-9-0 record, the team and fans alike can attest to the Trojans' hard work on the field.

Some of the team's highlights this year include stomping FAU 34-7 and pulling out a win against an in-state rival, the University of Alabama at Birmingham. This season proved to be a year for the team to rebuild and progress the program as a whole. The team, as well as the students, is already gearing up for what is promised to be a great 2012 season. Go Trojans!





Troy vs. UAB

After last year's showdown and a controversial touchdown call, there was no doubt vengeance was in order against the UAB Blazers. This year the Blazers were invited to play here at Troy, and this set the stage for what was sure to be a great game. The whole game proved to be as dramatic as the year before, with both teams scoring often, nipping at each other's heels. Troy ended up allowing two turnovers, while the Blazers' quarterback allowed an interception

near their own goal line.

In the end, Troy head coach Larry Blakeney simply stated that this game had a sense of "poetic justice." Fans could not agree more, and there is no doubt that the town of Troy experienced a thrilling win, with the end score being 24-23.







Troy vs. Middle Tenn.

Omar Haugabook threw two touchdown passes in the final 2:20 to help Troy University rally past Middle Tennessee 21-20 on Saturday. With the victory, the Trojans (6-5, 5-1) are in position to capture the Sun Belt Conferences berth to the New Orleans Bowl.

Troy plays at Florida International next Saturday. Haugabook connected with Smokey Hampton on a 19-yard touchdown strike with 2:19 remaining in the game to pull the Trojans within 20-14. Troy recovered the ensuing onside kick at the MTSU 42. Haugabook converted a fourth-and-17 situation with a 19-yard pass to Hampton between two defenders.

On the next play, Haugabook threw a 3-yard scoring strike to Gary Banks. Haugabook completed 30-of-40 passes for 235 yards and the two touchdowns. He also added a touchdown rushing in the second quarter, cutting MTSU's lead to 10-7.

Middle Tennessee (7-5, 6-1) had taken a 20-7 lead late into the fourth quarter. Desmond Gee threw a 15-yard touchdown pass to Stephen Chicola on a tailback pass with 11:19 left in regulation.

Middle Tennessee built a 10-0 midway through the second quarter. Colby Smith capped a 12-play drive with a 26-yard field goal on the first play of the second quarter.

After stopping Troy on downs and forcing a punt, the Blue Raiders put together another lengthy drive. MTSU capped a 12-play, 66-yard drive with a 4-yard touchdown run by Gee. The Blue Raiders answered with a drive the final 1:44 of the half. Smith kicked a career-long 48-yard field goal on the last play of the half.

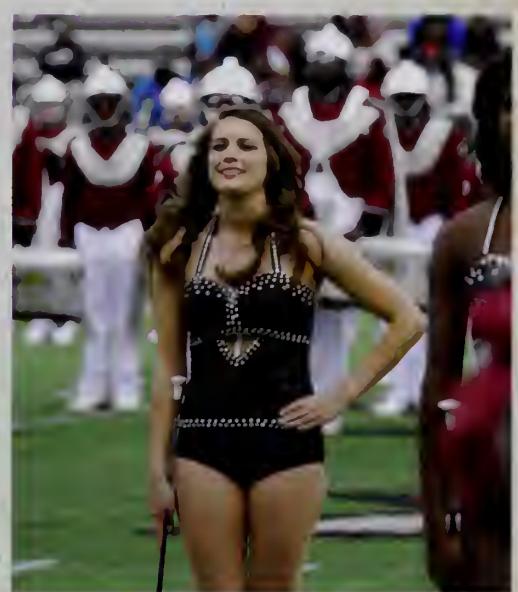
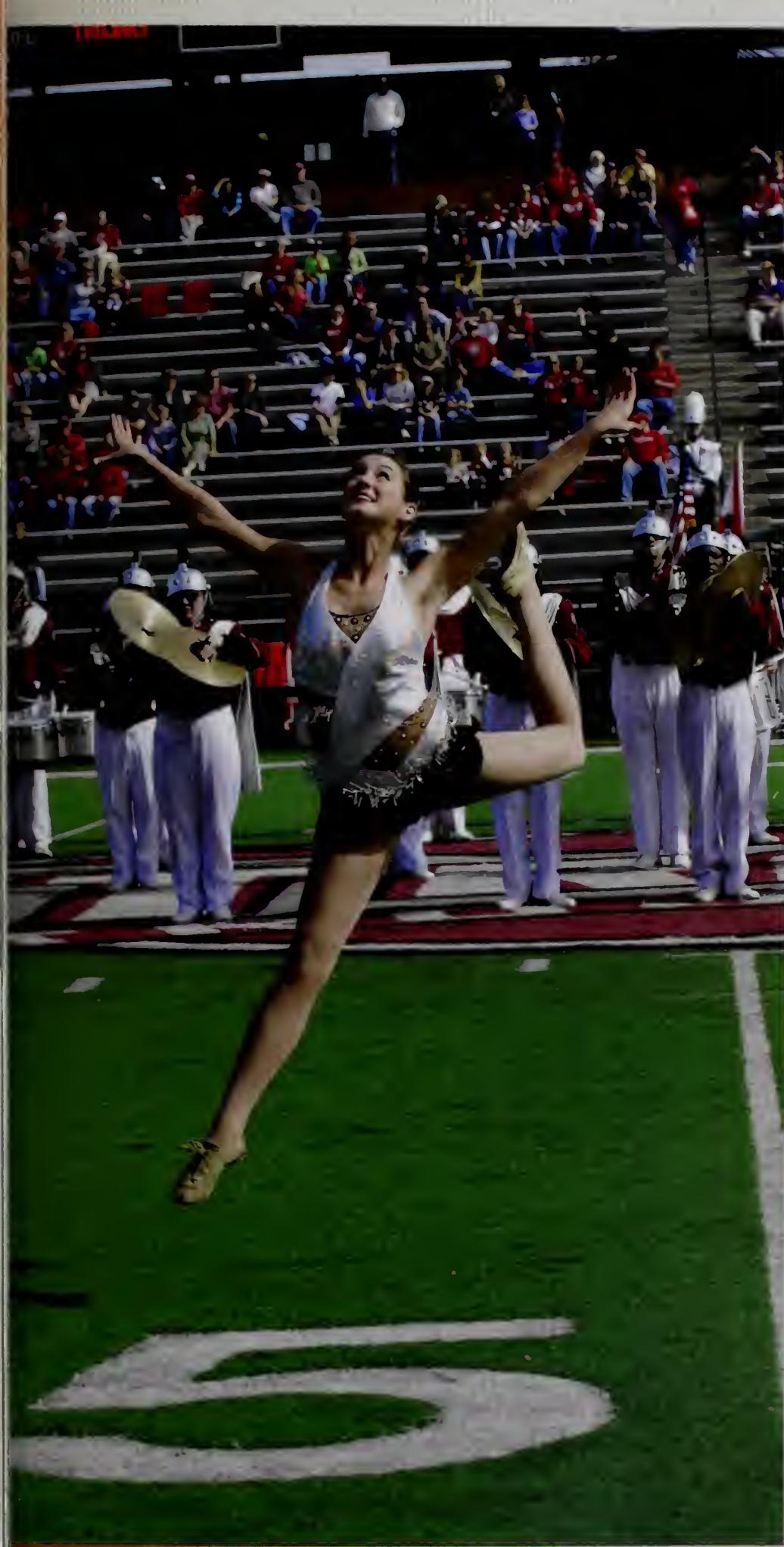


The field was dedicated to long-time football coach Larry Blakeney during this game.

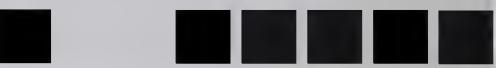
The Sound of the South Majorettes

The Troy University Sound of the South Majorettes are an important part of the halftime show. These very talented ladies entertain the crowd with their twirling talent and smiling faces. Alongside the dance team and color guard, they attend all pep rallies and football games.





Troy Cheerleaders





The Troy University Cheerleaders are inspirational and motivational leaders, to not only the fans but also the athletes of Troy sports. The squad can be seen and heard at football games, home basketball games and volleyball games, but Troy University cheerleaders do more than just cheer. They work with the Student Government Association in organizing and hosting the pep rallies that are held in order to get the students riled up for football games.

Right: A dancer laughing during a pep rally



Below: The 2011-2012 Dance team



Right: A dancer standing at attention.



Above: A dancer showing off her talent

Sound of the South Dance Team

The Troy University Sound of the South dance team had a busy season, from performing at pep rallies and traveling with the marching band to performing during the halftime shows at football games. The dance team is a very popular part of the famous Sound of the South halftime show.





Troy University Sports





Track and Field



The track and field team competes in sprints, middle and long-distance events, relays, and hurdling. Regular jumping events include long jump, triple jump, high jump and pole vault. The Troy track & field team is ranked 14th in the South region and 65th in the nation. The Troy finished at the Sun Belt Conference Championships with one champion and five runner-ups.







Heading into this season, Troy's men's basketball team proved ready to take on any opponent. The men started the season by obliterating West Alabama (84-67) in the home opener and went on to win 10 more games, of which five were in conference. Our Trojan basketball team then ended its season battling it out with South Alabama in the Sun Belt Conference Tournament. Our Trojans managed to close the gap to a 20-point deficit in the final half, and challenged South Alabama until the last second. The game ended closely, with South Alabama at 87 and Troy at 81, summing up the season of 11 wins and 18 losses.



Men's Basketball



Women's Basketball

This year our Lady Trojan women's basketball team geared up for what promised to be a competitive season. Through all of their hard work and dedication, the team members earned themselves a ticket into the coveted Sun Belt Conference Tournament, held in Hot Springs, Ark. There they faced off against the University of North Texas for the first time in the conference tournament. During the game, the Lady Trojans heated up in a 13-0 streak, ending the halftime with the upper hand. In the end, the Lady Trojans ended their season when they fell to the Mean Green by a 14-point deficit.



This season our Lady Trojans bumped, dug and spiked their way into a good season. Early in the fall, Troy defeated Akron, and then continued a series of five more wins. With their early success in the season, the Trojans carried on full steam ahead into their conference games.

While in their conference games, the Lady Trojans ousted both Louisiana teams, along with South Alabama, Denver and Florida Atlantic. These big wins led the team to finish the conference with a 6-10 record. Statistically, the team has made leaps and bounds compared to last year's conference record of 3-13. Senior Laura Mackley said, "This season's wins are a simple result of hard work and perseverance."





Volleyball

Over the Net



Soccer

This year the Lady Trojan Soccer team took the Sun Belt Conference by surprise. The team headed into the season with a relatively young squad, but it was apparent that the other teams with well-seasoned players failed to intimidate Troy. "The team put in the effort during preseason, and we kept that level of intensity heading into the season," said junior Nikki Stamaris. The Trojans went 9-11-1, ultimately winning four of their conference games. This year the conference tournament was held in Murfreesboro, Tenn., where the team went toe to toe with North Texas. Although Troy fell to the Mean Green, the Trojan team held its own on the field and is now looking toward next season's challenges.



Rodeo

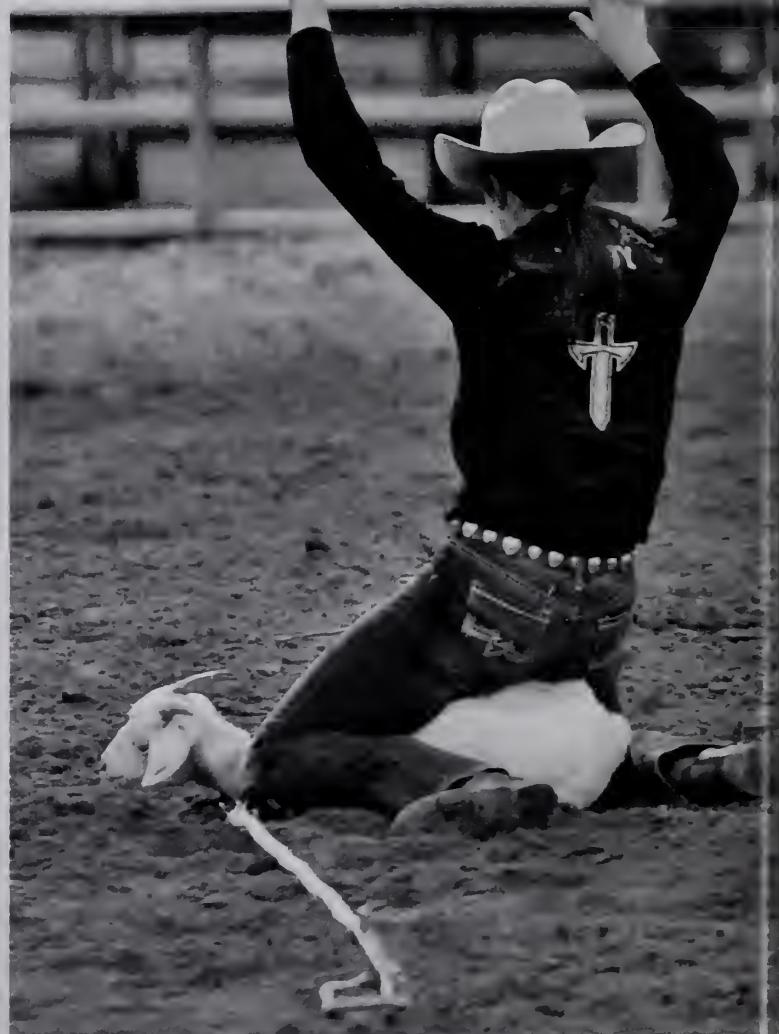
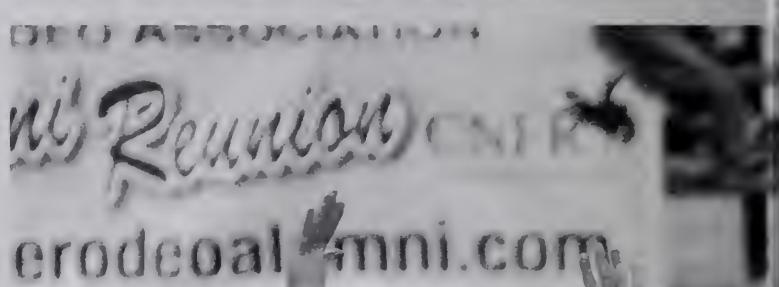
Only five points separated the top two teams as Missouri Valley College edged Tennessee-Martin to win the men's team title in the final round at the UT-Martin Rodeo.

In last year's rodeo, both the men's and women's teams from Troy claimed top honors. However, this year's contest made for a different outcome.

Nelson Wyatt and Lane Taylor highlighted the weekend for the Trojan Spurs in the team roping event. The duo combined for a point total of 100, good enough for third, and also finished third in the average with a time of 15.5. Missouri Valley's Cody Metsker and Hunter Lewis won the event with a 12.4-second average.

Wyatt also competed in steer wrestling, but did not place in the event after totaling 40 points and tying for sixth.

Lanie Culligan was the only Trojan Spur to make the short-go for the women's team, and struggled to come away with any positive results. Her 17.2-second average in goat tying was four seconds off the winning time by Missouri Valley's Shelby Jacobson, which did not give her a podium finish.







Troy vs. ULM

Troy belted out six extra-base hits, including home runs from Danny Collins and Chase Mathis, to power past ULM 9-4 in the Sun Belt Conference series opener at Riddle-Pace Field.

Collins, who had three home runs in Troy's past four games, put the Trojans (23-26, 11-14 Sun Belt) on the board with a three-run blast to straight-away center field, and Mathis came off the bench as a pinch hitter in the sixth inning and took the first pitch he saw over the wall in right field to break a 4-all tie.

The victory moved Troy into a four-way tie with ULM, UALR and Western Kentucky for sixth place in the Sun Belt standings; the Trojans were just two games behind FIU for third place. Troy had won seven of its past 10 games at Riddle-Pace Field.



Troy Baseball





2012 Statistics
Record: 43-19
Home: 30-5
Away: 10-11
Neutral: 3-3
Sun Belt: 21-9







Softball

Softball Roster

Sarah Shields, junior
Ashlyn Williams, senior
Katie Ely, senior
Nikki Hollett, junior
Ashley Adkins, senior
Hayden Gann, junior
Callie Rawlinson, sophomore
Kacie McAllister, freshman
Taylor Smartt, freshman
Lauren Griffith, freshman
Melissa Pratt, junior
Jordan McAllister, junior
Sarah Harris, junior
Kortney Cooper, junior
Michelle Hewett, junior
Kelly Luquette, sophomore
Haley Hutchins, junior



Cross Country

Cross Country Roster

Ja-Courtney Alexander, junior
Sam Ammons, freshman
Abby Barnett, junior
Robin Blackman , freshman
Veronica Bryant, freshman
Ariel Cavazos, senior
Haley Davies, Sophomore
Matt Hall, freshman
Alec Hamm, senior
Caitlyn Hannah, sophomore
Anthony Harris, freshman
Kendall Harris, freshman
Garric Hawkins, freshman
David Hudman, sophomore
Agnes Kapsoiyo, senior.
Landry Key R, freshman
Enock Kirui, junior
Kemper Morton, sophomore
Nigel Mosley, sophomore
Jasmine Pattonn junior
Allison Paulson, juniot
Morgan Paulson, junior
A.C. Scarlett, freshman
Tiffany Slater, sophomore
Sally Taunton, sophomore
Chris Upshaw, senior
Adam Vise, senior
Sarah Wiedeman, junior





Tennis

Women's Tennis Roster

Olfa Dhaoui	Sophomore	Nabeul, Tunisia
Lyubov Dorofeeva	Sophomore	Tashkent, Uzbekistan
Samya El Hsissen	Freshman	Morocco
Karoline Grymel	Junior	Hamburg, Germany
Candela Munoz Giron	Freshman	Alicante, Spain
Rosaura Ramirez-Vega	Junior	Seville, Spain
Hannah Toro	Freshman	England
Gabrielle Veiga	Senior	Londrina, Brazil



Men's Tennis Roster

Mansingh Athare	Sophomore	Ahmednagar, India
Tommy Cundy	Sophomore	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
Tadju Davies	Sophomore	Evian, France
Jamie Eccleton	Sophomore	Auckland, New Zealand
Patrick Eichler	Sophomore	Reichehall, Germany
Sami Ghorbel	Sophomore	Sfaz, Tunisia
Anas Rouchdi	Junior	Rabat, Morocco
Andres Sanchez	Sophomore	Bogota, Columbia
Ture Skinner	Freshman	Barbados
Andre Stabile	Sophomore	Sao Paulo, Brazil





OUR Academics

Troy University is different from most institutions of higher learning. Rather than preparing students for jobs, we prepare them for what's ahead – life – opportunity – surprises. Yes, the future can be unpredictable, but the people who succeed in the years to come will do so because of preparation, planning and drive. These are just a few of the defining characteristics of Troy students.





The College of Arts and Sciences

The College of Arts and Sciences is, from both historical and functional points of view, the core of the modern university. The College of Arts and Sciences views creativity, inquiry and understanding as among the greatest values in human experience.

Thus, it is dedicated to the questioning, creation and transmission of knowledge; to the provision of undergraduate and graduate educational programs that are responsive to the need for an enlightened and productive citizenry; and to the provision of programs and services that enhance the quality of life of the people it serves.

These goals compel a commitment to creativity and inquiry free of bias and based upon the principles of objective scholarship. They require a responsibility to promote and convey those elements of the liberal arts and sciences that must be essential components of the educational goals of all units of the university. The college seeks richness through diversity of its programs and strength through erudition.





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College of Education



The mission of the College of Education is to prepare educators, counselors, administrators, and other professionals to be lifelong, innovative, informed, reflective decision makers effectively trained to achieve the goals, competencies, and skills identified by the accrediting and professional organizations for each program.





College of Communication and Fine Arts

The College of Communication and Fine Arts has six departments: John M. Long School of Music, Hall School of Journalism and Communication, Department of Theatre and Dance, Department of Modern Languages and Classics, Department of Art and Design, and Department of English.

The mission is to provide excellence in instruction in selected communication and fine arts disciplines along with practical experiences in journalism, mass communication, music, speech communication, theater, visual arts and foreign language.

The College of Communication and Fine Arts is a primary provider of cultural events benefiting the citizens of Troy, Pike County, the region and the state. Accordingly, the college offers such fine arts events as art exhibits; symphony band, jazz band, and choral concerts; and theatrical performances.

The Department of Art and Design offers degrees that include photography, graphic design and art education.

The goal of the Department of Theatre and Dance is allowing students to have the chance to work with recognized artists in the field, seeking professional feedback, and providing for the changing needs of an increasingly diverse community.

Journalism, advertising, public relations and mass communication are some of the degrees the Hall School of Journalism and Communication offers.

John M. Long School of Music allows students to have educational experiences that will guide them in developing their musical skills, knowledge and attitude required to pursue a career in the different areas of music.

The Department of English delivers an English major, an English minor (with specialization in literature or creative writing), and a graduate-level concentration in teaching English to speakers of other languages as part of the Master of Education program.



above:artwork displayed in Malone hall.





College of Business

The Sorrell College of Business equips students with the advanced knowledge, skills, abilities and competencies needed to succeed as organizational and community leaders who will surely make a difference in the economy.

Troy University's College of Business is made up of four unique departments: Business Programs, Graduate Business Programs, Risk Management and Insurance, and the School of Accountancy.

Undergraduates have a choice of degrees between accounting, general business, management, risk management and insurance, finance, information systems and marketing, but also focuses of business administration and information systems as minors.

The Sorrell College of Business has many organizations and clubs where students can contribute their skills or develop skills, such as the Accounting Club.

The College has been around for many years and remains one of Troy's proudest traditions that will continue helping students succeed in the future.



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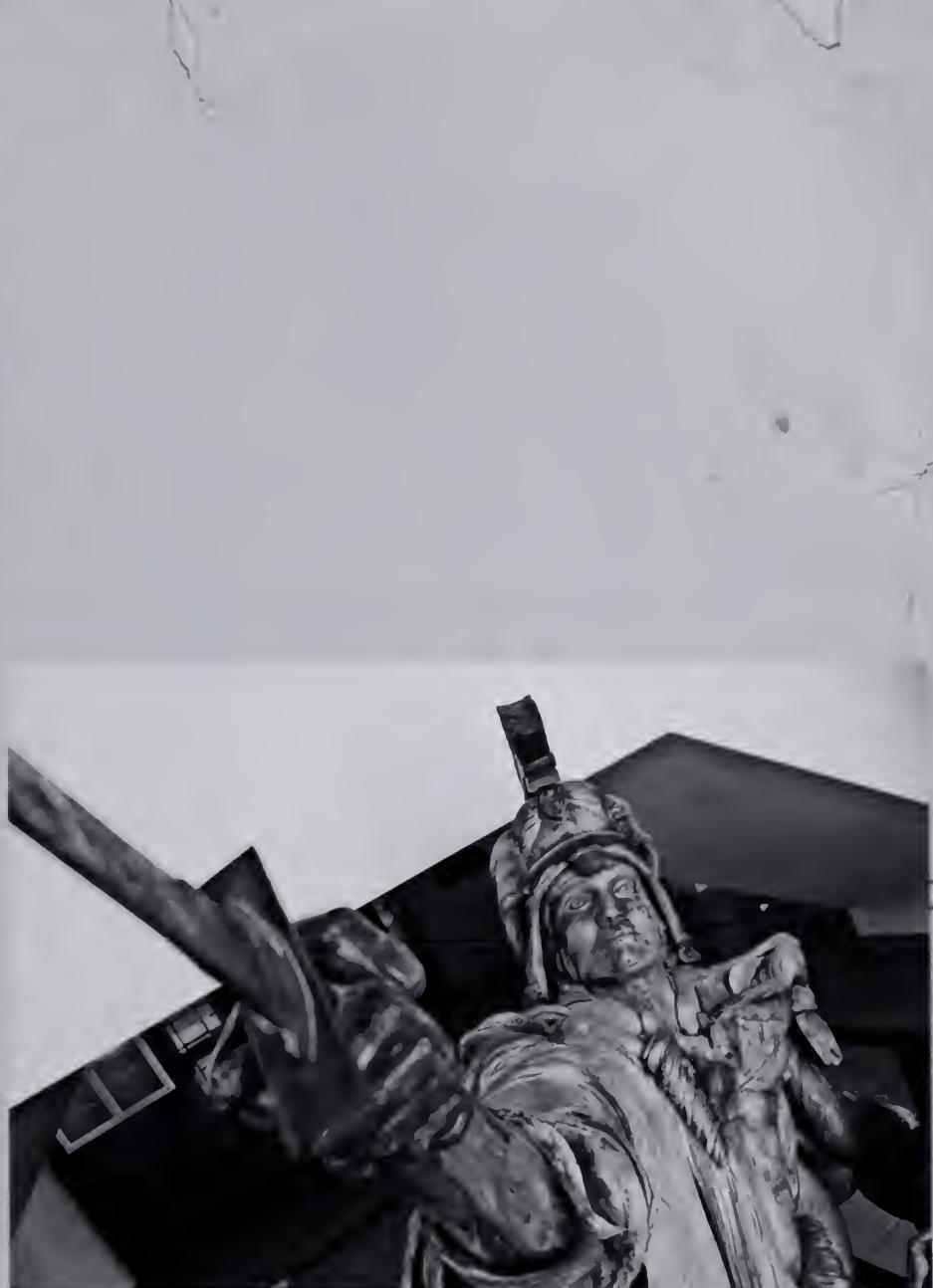
Student Services

Student Services is a department devoted to helping Troy students, ranging from financial services, by offering information on available scholarships, to ways to get involved on campus, through many various groups such Greek organizations and SGA.

Students can get information about shuttles, the campus police department, and activities available for Troy students.

The department offers information about on-campus housing and even information on off-campus housing by having a list of local apartment complexes and local Realtors. Student Services also prepares students for after they graduate by offering career counseling and personal counseling. Student Services also has information on health services and works with student judicial affairs.







The College of Health and Human Services

The College of Health and Human Services was formed in 1994 in order to provide quality education for professional practice in a variety of areas associated with health and human services.

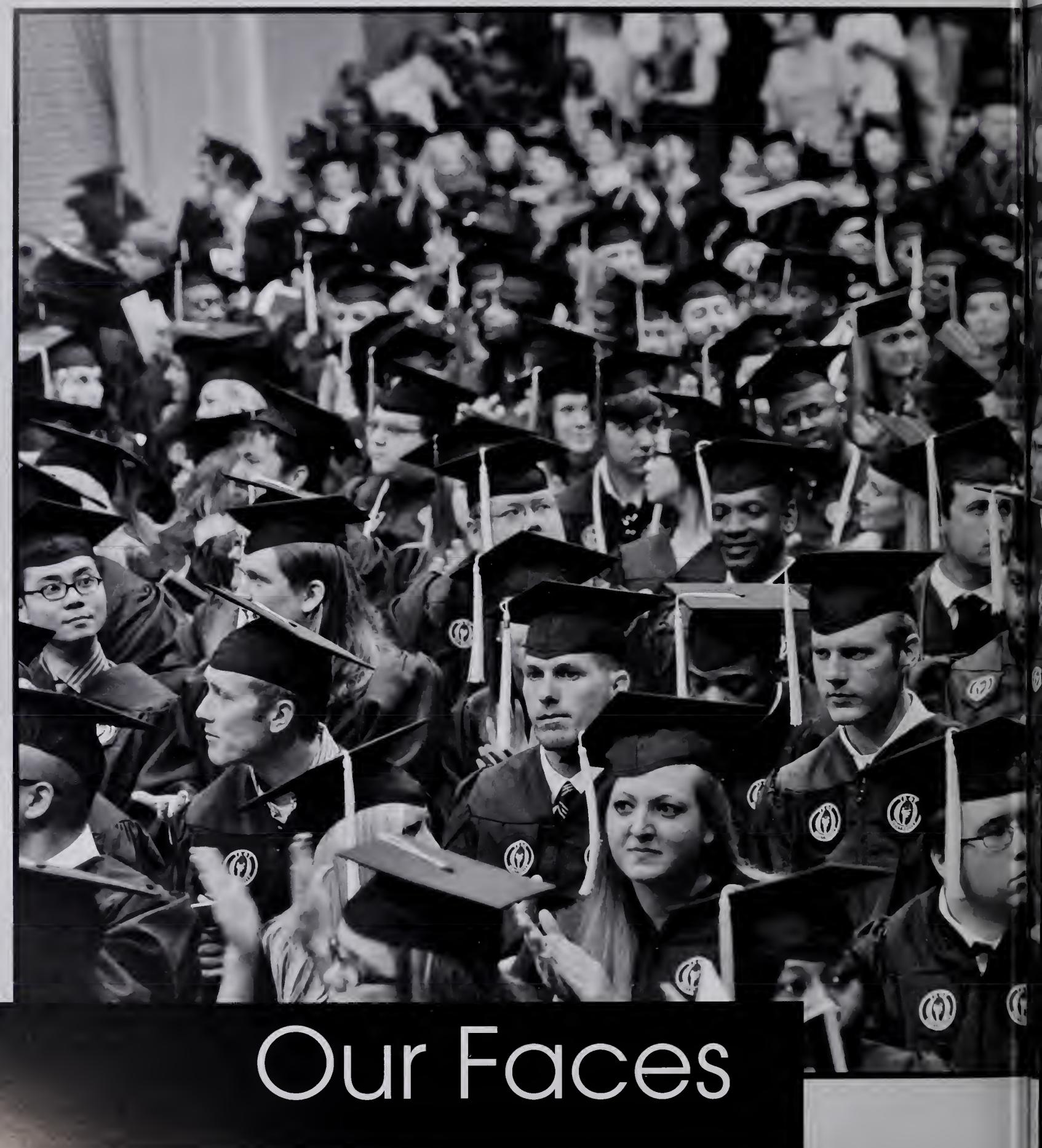
The college aspires to the highest standards of educational excellence, blending a professional perspective with a liberal arts and science foundation.

Within the College of Health and Human Services are the School of Nursing, the Department of Human Services (which includes rehabilitation and social work), the Department of Kinesiology and Health Promotion, and the Department of Sports Medicine and Athletic Training Education Program.

The college is committed to meeting the challenges of the next decade; hence, it emphasizes quality teaching and values scholarly activity.

The college is committed to the development of its students into knowledgeable, caring, responsive and self-directed individuals able to meet the health and human caring needs of a diverse and complex society through change, advocacy and leadership within their communities.





Our Faces



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Amber Andrews



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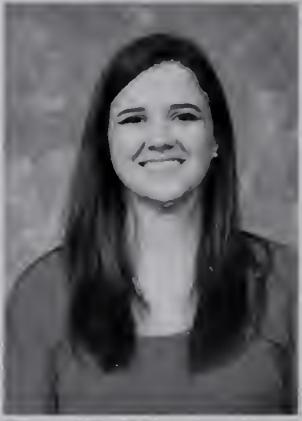
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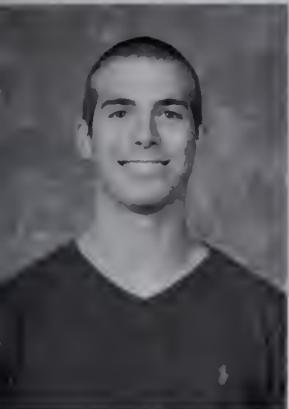


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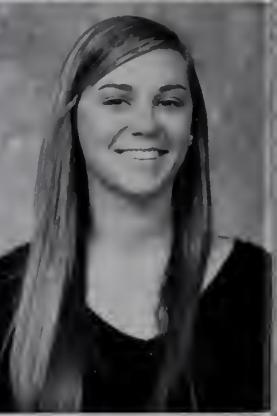
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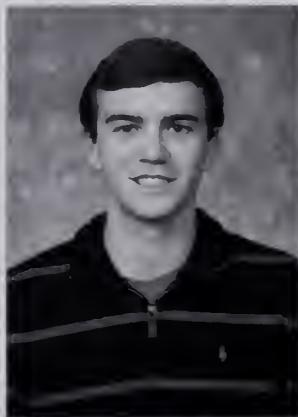


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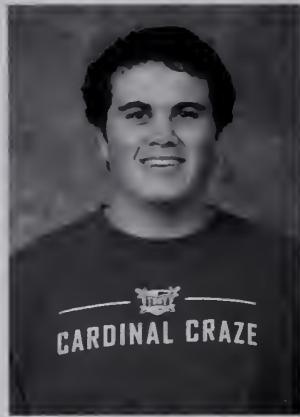


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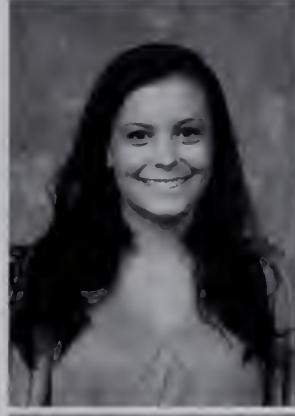


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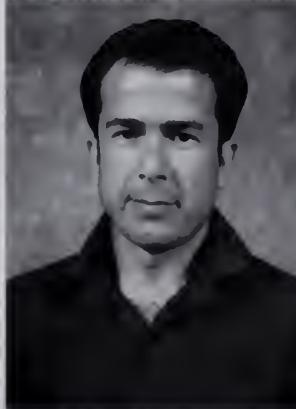




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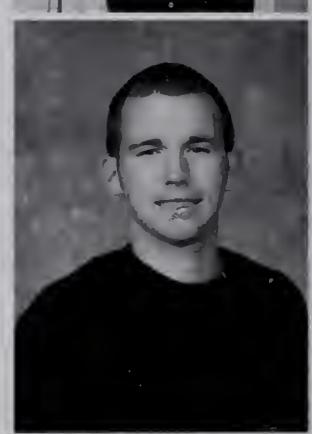
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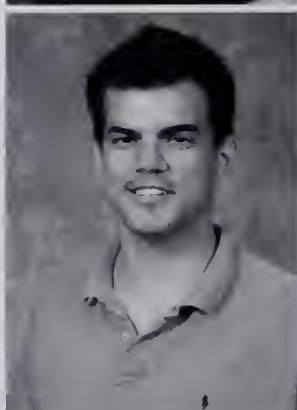


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Hope Syfrett



James Symonds
Thomas Tabb
Kaelah Tarrant
Laura Tatom



Brittany Taylor
Ceely Taylor
Chloe Taylor
Jessica Taylor





Lauren Taylor
Lara Teel
Melissa Terry
Jyoti Thapa



Kyle Thibodeaux
Anterica Lou Thomas
Emily Thomasson
Candice Thompson

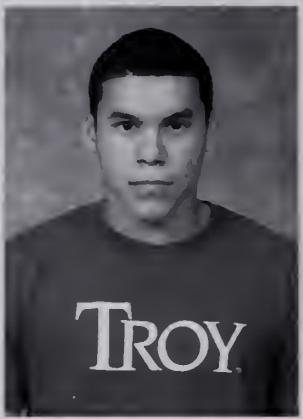


Melissa Thorniley
Daniel Throckmorton
Mary Elizabeth Thrower
Madison Tidwell



Blane Tillery
Justin Tindall
Wes Tindell
Anel Tingle

Chelsea Tomaino
Catlen Tommie
Anna Marie Toole
Aubrey Toole



Jason Towe
Eliza Trawick
Catherine Trisch
Katee Tudisco



Heather Turner
Katherine Turner
Morris Turner
Clay Tyler



Carrie Van Dergeest
Shelby Vanhoose
Brittany Vautrin
Alix Vinson





Katie Vinson
Amber Voss
Merritt Waddell
Hannah Waldrop



Bryan Walker
Christopher Walker
Corey Walker
Brett Wallace



Rachel Wallace
Rissa Wamsley
Kendall Ward
Taylor Ward



Parker Warren
Zackary Watkins
Alex Watson
Clay Watson

Jenna Watson
Kody Watson
Hayley Watts
Jonathan Watts



Cortani Weaver
Crysta Weaver
Winston Webb
John Blake Webster



Whitney Weeks
Lindsay Welch
Megan Welch
Kristen Wells



Stephanie Wesley
Kendall West
Nathaniel Westfall
Stephanie Westfall





Caitlin White
Haley White
Josh White
Kaitlin White



Daniel Whitfield
Kaneytrice Whitfield
Brandon Whiting
Abbi Whitman



Kaylin Whitworth
Anna Wicks
Tiffany Wiggins
Matthew Wilcox



Lucas Wilkerson
Arthur Williams
Ashley Williams
Jared Williams

Jessica Williams
Kartricea Noel Williams
Patrick Williams
Ryan Williams



Stayce Williams
James Oliver Williams III
Patrick Williamson
Anne Carol Wilson



Bethany Wilson
Braddock Wilson
Madison Wilson
Mary Carlton Wilson



Ricky Wilson
William Wilson III
Luke Wise
Zach Witmyer





Carolyn Wood
Courtney Wood
Lindsey Woodard
Lindsey Woodham



Ashley Woods
Hannah Grace Woods
Dylan Wooley
Dejah Works



Justin Wright
Matthew Wright
Tyler Yates
Hannah Younce



Tianxiang Yu
Carina Zeigler

Right: A smiling Rusty Cockrall accepts his master sash after having to knell down because of his height.



Graduation



Some 725 Troy University students walked the stage at Troy Campus commencement ceremonies Friday, May 11.

The graduating class represents 26 U.S. states and nine countries outside the United States and exercises will take place at 10:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. in Sartain Hall.

Participating in the morning exercise will be graduates of the colleges of Arts and Sciences, Communication and Fine Arts, and Health and Human Services. The afternoon ceremony will cover graduates in the College of Education and the Sorrell College of Business.

Providing the morning's commencement address will be U.S. Rep. Martha Roby, who was elected from Alabama's Second Congressional District in November 2010. In Congress, Roby serves on the Armed Services Committee, the Agriculture Committee and the Workforce Committee.

A Montgomery native, she represented the city's seventh district on the Montgomery City Council where she championed reduced government spending and opposed tax increases. She earned an undergraduate degree from New York University and her law degree from Cumberland School of Law at Samford University. She and husband Riley have two children and attend Trinity Presbyterian Church.



Left: 63 year old Mathew Jordan Sr. stands up after being recognized by Chancellor Hawkins for receiving his Masters in Criminal Justice. Hawkins went on to say that Jordan set a fine example of Troy University's motto,





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Phi Mu



Phi Mu welcomed 39 amazing new Phis to our chapter. Phi Mu had a successful year in philanthropies; the chapter hosted its annual Nacho Eating contest, also known as "Get on the Ball," in the fall and our Grand Slam softball tournament in the spring. All contributions go to Phi Mu's national philanthropy, Children's Miracle Network. Phi Mu was proud to announce Malorie Mann and Kash Forrester on the 2011 Homecoming Court. Phi Mu won first place in the Homecoming Banner Competition, Dance Competition, and Float Competition, which allowed Phi Mu to have overall Homecoming Champions for the female division. Phi Mu received first place in Greek Week and won the prestigious honor of Dean's Cup.



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“Diamonds are forever!”

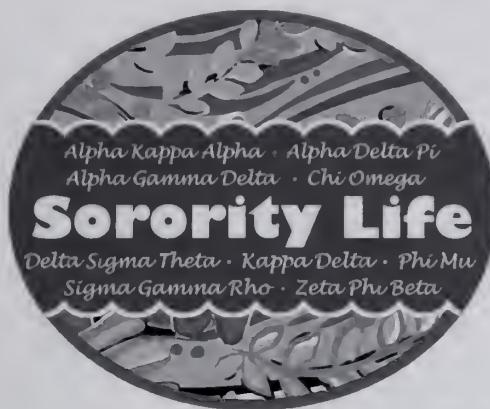


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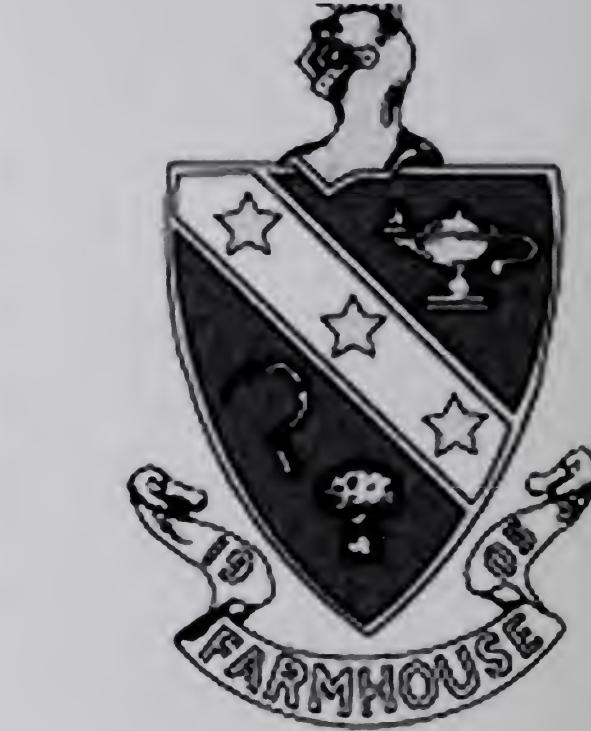
Student Government Association







2011-2012 Environmental Club



FarmHouse Fraternity

The Palladium staff would like to thank everyone who contributed to this year's edition

Go Trojans!





Who's Who Among Students in American Universities & Colleges



Adrienne Leah Gardner

Human Services Major

Leadership Studies Minor

Senior

Excellence in Leadership Scholar, Delta Epsilon Iota Honor Society

Founder of Troy Weekend Association, Gospel Choir, Collegiate Singers, African

American Alliance

Jacquelyn Chandler

Elementary Education

Senior

Awards: Chancellor's Honor List (2 semesters),

Provost's Honor List (3 semesters)

Clubs: Circle K International, The Newman Center,

The Association for Childhood Education

International, Student Council for Exceptional

Children, Troy Dance Marathon, Phi Kappa Phi,

and Kappa Delta Pi





Emily Evans

Biomedical Science (Pre-Pharmacy)

Senior

Awards: Troy University's 2011 Homecoming Queen, Alpha Gamma Delta's 2009 Pledge Class Highest GPA, Alpha Gamma Delta Second Highest Overall GPA, Seymour Gitenstein Foundation Scholarship, Hugh G. Rose Endowed Scholarship, Lambda Chi Alpha's 2011 Crescent Girl

Clubs: Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority, Phi Kappa Phi, Alpha Epsilon Delta (Treasurer), Beta Beta Beta, Omicron Delta Kappa, Troy University Cheerleader (2008-2010)

Kashmala Rashid

Finance

Classification: Senior

Elected Under-Secretary General, Troy University Model United Nations, 2011

Elected President, International Student Forum (ISF), Student Government Association (SGA), Fall 2010

Elected Vice President, International Student Cultural Organization (ISCO), 2010

Initiated and led the fundraising campaign for Pakistan's flood victims, 2010

Resident Assistant, 2011-Present

Tutor, 2009 - Present, English as a Second Language (ESL) Center

HONORS AND AWARDS

- **Chancellor's list, Fall 2009, Spring 2010, Fall 2010, Spring 2011, Fall 2011**
- **Chancellor's Scholar**
- **Selected to Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges, 2011**
- **Member Phi Kappa Phi**
- **Ranked 3rd in the World in the Sociology portion of Cambridge International A Level Examinations, 2009**

Rachel Wagner

Senior

Political Science

Outstanding Political Science Student of the Year 2012

Political Science Club

Troy University College Republicans (Vice-Chairman)

Rotaract Club (Vice-President)

Model United Nations

Pi Sigma Alpha (President)

Phi Kappa Phi

Alpha Lambda Delta

Brittney Gail Roberts

Print Journalism Major, Communications Minor

Senior

Dean's List at Troy University: 2008-2009; 2009-2010

Provost List at Troy University: 2008-2009

Chancellor's List: 2009-2010

Order of Omega Attendant: 2009-2011

Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities 2011

Recipient of Millennium Scholarship

Clubs:

Go Red for Women campaign activist: 2008-2012

Ronald McDonald House volunteer, Mobile, AL: 2008-2012

Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society: 2008-2009; 2009-2010

Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society: 2010-2011

Mortar Board Honor Society: 2010-2011

Phi Lambda Delta Honor Society: 2011-2012



Kalesia Whitlow

Elementary Education

Junior

Awards: Spring 2010 Chancellor's Provost List, Fall 2011 Chancellor's List, Who's Who Among College Students, and a member of Phi Kappa Phi and Kappa Delta Pi

Clubs: African American Alliance, Troy University's Activity Council, Student Council for Exceptional Children, and Trojan All-Stars, NAACP-Treasurer, Troy Weekend Association-President, and M.I.S.S. Elite Society Founder and President



Shaquille Marsh

Major: Communication Studies, speech communication track

Classification: Senior

Awards: Who's Who Among America's Colleges and Universities, CCFA Dean's list scholar for 2011 and 2012, Dean's list for Fall 2010, Spring 2011, Fall 2011

Clubs: President of Lambda Pi Eta, President and Founder of the Communication Club, Ad/PR Society member, Omicron Delta Kappa member, intramural sports coordinator for Chi Alpha ministries.

Stephanie Vieira

Major: Sport Administration

Classification: Graduate Student

Awards: Who's Who Among Students in American Universities & Colleges, Sun Belt

Conference Academic Award, and 3.0 Club

Clubs: KHP Club, Phi Epsilon Kappa, and Student-Athlete Advisory Committee

Allison Reynolds

Human Resource Management

Junior

Awards:

2012 Troy University Most Outstanding Woman Award; Chancellor's Scholarship Award; Foundation Scholarship Award;

2010 Miss Troy: National Peanut Festival "Interview Winner," "Most Knowledge of Peanuts," "Written Communication Winner" and 3rd-Runner-Up; Phi Mu Sorority "2010 Most Outstanding Pledge" and "2010 Highest Chapter GPA"

Haley Boyd
Athletic Training
Senior
Kappa Delta Sorority, Athletic Training Club, Iota Tau Alpha, Mortar Board

Emily D. Wood
Major: English
Minors: Humanities & Business Administration
Classification: Senior
Awards: Provost's List Fall 2010; Chancellor's List Spring 2011; Chancellor's List Fall 2011; Homecoming Representative
Clubs: Sigma Tau Delta Vice President; Gamma Beta Phi Member; Phi Kappa Phi Member; SGA Secretary; Trojan Ambassador; Creative Writing Club Member; STARS Coordinator

Eric Sean Stokes
Chemistry
Senior
Phi Kappa Phi
Alpha Lambda Delta
Chemistry Club



Bryant Kimbrough
Music Education-Instrumental
Senior
College of Communication and Fine Arts Dean's Scholar 2011, Who's Who
Recipient 2011, Troy University Honors Recital Fall 2009.

Eric Beasley

Marine Biology

Senior

Student Service Award from Troy University, selected for Who's Who, also received numerous awards while serving in the U.S. military.

Student Government Association President (Dothan Campus), Environmental Awareness Club, Habitat for Humanity, Trojan Ambassadors, Army ROTC.



Savannah Harrison

Print Journalism (Creative Writing minor)

Classification: Senior

Awards: Who's Who Among American Colleges and Universities (2011), recognized by Dean of CCFA for academic excellence (2008 - 2012), Chancellor's List (2008 - 2012)

Clubs: Editor of the Tropolitan; various honor societies

Holly Nicole Vernon

Accounting

Senior

Phi Kappa Phi Honors Society, Delta Mu Delta Honors Society, Who's Who Among American Colleges and Universities, Chancellor's List, Chancellor's Scholarship

Clubs: Delta Sigma Pi (Served as Vice President of Pledge Education, Fundraising Chair and Pledge Class President), Secretary of Delta Mu Delta, and Accounting Society.

Hannah Stockman

Senior/Elementary Education Major/Dance Minor

Recipient of Chancellor's Fellowship Scholarship, recipient of Troy University Sound of the South Dance Team and Basketball Dance Team Scholarships, Kappa Delta Pi Educational Honor Society Member, Who's Who Among America's College Students nominee, Chancellor's and Dean's Honor Roll List for superior academic standing/GPA and semester grades

Troy University Sound of the South Dance Team and Basketball Dance Team member (2 years), Kappa Delta Pi Honor Society Member, ACEI and SCEC Educational Club Members, Rotary Club Member, Baptist Campus Ministries member, and Momentum and Breakout Campus Outreach Ministries member



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